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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated October 7, 2005 for which a threemonth period for response was given making this response due on or before January 7, 2006. A Petition for a 3-month Extension of Time is filed herewith, making this response timely filed on or before April 7, 2006.

In view of the amendments to the claims and the remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.